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Docket No. MAIKP125US

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re **PATENT** application of:

Applicant: Jorg-Reinhardt Kropp

Application No.: 10/797,381

For: BIDIRECTIONAL TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING DEVICE

Filing Date: March 10, 2004

Examiner: James D. Stein

Art Unit: 2874

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 21, 2005**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.